SESSION OF 2012

No. 2012-1A

AN ACT

SB 1472

Making an appropriation from the State Employees' Retirement Fund to provide for expenses of the State Employees' Retirement Board for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. The sum of \$23,660,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the State Employees' Retirement Fund to the State Employees' Retirement Board for the payment of all salaries, wages and other compensation and travel expenses of the employees and members of the State Employees' Retirement Board, for contractual services and other expenses necessary for the proper conduct of the duties, functions and activities of the board for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012, or immediately, whichever is later.

APPROVED—The 13th day of June, A.D. 2012

No. 2012-2A

AN ACT

SB 1473

Making an appropriation from the Public School Employees' Retirement Fund to provide for expenses of the Public School Employees' Retirement Board for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. The sum of \$44,144,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the Public School Employees' Retirement Fund to the Public School Employees' Retirement Board for the payment of all salaries, wages and other compensation and travel expenses of the employees and members of the Public School Employees' Retirement Board, for contractual services and other expenses necessary for the proper conduct of the duties, functions and activities of the board for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012, or immediately, whichever is later.

APPROVED-The 13th day of June, A.D. 2012

No. 2012-3A

AN ACT

SB 1474

Making appropriations from the Professional Licensure Augmentation Account and from restricted revenue accounts within the General Fund to the Department of State for use by the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs in support of the professional licensure boards assigned thereto.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. The sum of \$37,072,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the Professional Licensure Augmentation Account within the General Fund to the Department of State for the operation of the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs, including the State Board of Auctioneer Examiners, for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013.

Section 2. (a) The sum of \$6,948,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the restricted receipts account of the State Board of Medicine for the operation of the board for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013.

(b) The sum of \$1,006,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the restricted receipts account of the State Board of Osteopathic Medicine for the operation of the board for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013.

(c) The sum of \$198,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the restricted receipts account of the State Board of Podiatry for the operation of said board for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013.

(d) The sum of \$509,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the Athletic Commission Augmentation Account for the State Athletic Commission, as authorized by 5 Pa.C.S. § 1512 (relating to Athletic Commission Augmentation Account), for the support and operation of the commission for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013.

(e) Each appropriation listed in subsections (a), (b), (c) and (d) shall not be treated as an augmentation to the Department of State, general government appropriation or any other appropriation, but shall be treated and accounted for as separate appropriations respectively.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012, or immediately, whichever is later.

APPROVED—The 13th day of June, A.D. 2012

No. 2012-4A

AN ACT

SB 1475

Making appropriations from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. The following sums, or as much thereof as may be necessary, are specifically appropriated from the restricted revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission to provide for the operation of the commission for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013, for the purposes and in the amounts shown:

	Federal	State
For the salaries, wages and all necessary		
expenses for the proper operation and		
administration of the Pennsylvania Public		
Utility Commission, including the chairman		
and commissioners and the Bureau of Safety		
and Enforcement.		
State appropriation		60,398,000
The following Federal augmentation		
amounts, or as much thereof as may be		
necessary, are specifically appropriated to		
supplement the sum authorized to be billed to		
utilities for the operation of the commission:		
(1) "Natural Gas Pipeline Safety" - To		
enforce the regulations of the Natural Gas		
Pipeline Safety Act.		
Federal appropriation	2,819,000	
(2) "Motor Carrier Safety."		
Federal appropriation	1,888,000	
(3) "ARRA - Electric Regulatory		
Assistance."		
Federal appropriation	150,000	
Any Federal funds which the Pennsyl-		
vania Public Utility Commission receives		
pursuant to these appropriations shall not be		
reimbursed to any utility.		
Section 2. This act shall take effect July	/ 1, 2012, or	immediately,
whichever is later.		

APPROVED—The 13th day of June, A.D. 2012

No. 2012-5A

AN ACT

SB 1476

Making an appropriation from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund to the Office of Small Business Advocate in the Department of Community and Economic Development.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. The sum of \$1,092,000 is hereby appropriated from the restricted revenue account within the General Fund to the Office of Small Business Advocate in the Department of Community and Economic Development to provide for the operation of that office for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012, or immediately, whichever is later.

APPROVED—The 13th day of June, A.D. 2012

No. 2012-6A

AN ACT

SB 1477

Making appropriations from the restricted revenue accounts within the State Gaming Fund and from the State Gaming Fund to the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board, the Department of Revenue, the Pennsylvania State Police and the Attorney General for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

PART I

PRELIMINARY PROVISIONS

Section 101. Short title.—This act shall be known and may be cited as the Gaming Control Appropriation Act of 2012.

PART III

STATE GAMING CONTROL RESTRICTED REVENUE ACCOUNTS

Section 301. State Gaming Fund.—The following amounts set forth in this part, or as much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated from the State Gaming Fund restricted revenue accounts under 4 Pa.C.S. § 1401 (relating to slot machine licensee deposits) to the agencies of the Executive Department named in this part for the purposes set forth for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012.¹

Section 302. Attorney General.—The following amounts are appropriated to the Attorney General:

For salaries, wages and all necessary expenses of the Attorney General related to 4 Pa.C.S. Pt. II (relating to gaming).

amounts are appropriated to the Department of Revenue:

For the salaries, wages and all necessary expenses of the Department of Revenue related to 4 Pa.C.S. Pt. II (relating to gaming).

Section 304. Pennsylvania State Police.—The following amounts are appropriated to the Pennsylvania State Police:

For the salaries, wages and all necessary expenses of the Pennsylvania State Police related to 4 Pa.C.S. Pt. II (relating

to gaming). State appropriation Section 305. Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board.—	20,117,000
The following amounts are appropriated to the Pennsyl-	
vania Gaming Control Board:	
For the salaries, wages and all necessary expenses for the proper operation and administration of the Pennsylvania	
Gaming Control Board. This appropriation includes	
\$10,956,000 from the restricted revenue account established	
in the State Gaming Fund for fees and other revenues	
collected by the board.	
State appropriation	36 098 000

PART V MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Section 501. Transfers prohibited.—There is no authority for the State Treasurer, the Secretary of the Budget, the Secretary of Revenue or the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board to transfer any money within or between the appropriations in Part III.

Section 502. Effective date.—This act shall take effect July 1, 2012, or immediately, whichever is later.

APPROVED—The 13th day of June, A.D. 2012

No. 2012-7A

AN ACT

SB 1479

Making an appropriation from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund to the Office of Consumer Advocate in the Office of Attorney General.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. The sum of \$5,173,000 is hereby appropriated from the restricted revenue account within the General Fund to the Office of Consumer Advocate in the Office of Attorney General to provide for the operation of that office for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012, or immediately, whichever is later.

APPROVED—The 13th day of June, A.D. 2012

No. 2012-8A

AN ACT

SB 1478

Making appropriations from the Workmen's Compensation Administration Fund to the Department of Labor and Industry and the Department of Community and Economic Development to provide for the expenses of administering the Workers' Compensation Act, The Pennsylvania Occupational Disease Act and the Office of Small Business Advocate for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. The sum of \$81,896,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the Workmen's Compensation Administration Fund to the Department of Labor and Industry for the payment of all salaries, wages and other compensation and travel expenses, for contractual services and other expenses necessary for the administration of the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), known as the Workers' Compensation Act, and the act of June 21, 1939 (P.L.566, No.284), known as The Pennsylvania Occupational Disease Act, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012.

Section 2. The sum of \$194,000 is hereby appropriated from the restricted revenue account within the Workmen's Compensation Administration Fund to the Office of Small Business Advocate in the Department of Community and Economic Development as provided in the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), known as the Workers' Compensation Act, for the operation of that office for the fiscal year July 1, 2012, to June 30, 2013.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012, or immediately, whichever is later.

APPROVED—The 29th day of June, A.D. 2012